

What is claimed is:

1. An audio signal processing device which processes audio signals and outputs the audio signals, comprising:

controls for setting values of parameters of the signal processing;

5 a display for presenting a set value of the parameter;

a memory for storing a value of the parameter;

a loader for loading the value of the parameter stored in said memory;

10 a comparator for comparing, when said loader loads the value of the parameter, a value of the parameter set at a time of the loading with the loaded value of the parameter; and

a display controller for making a display style on said display different in accordance with a comparison result on match/mismatch by said comparator.

2. An audio signal processing device which processes audio signals and outputs the audio signals, comprising:

controls for setting values of parameters of the signal processing;

a display for presenting a set value of the parameter;

a memory for storing a value of the parameter;

a loader for loading the value of the parameter stored in said memory;

20 and

a display controller for making, when said loader loads the value of the parameter, said display simultaneously present the loaded value of the parameter and a value of the parameter set at a time of the loading in different display styles.

25 3. An audio signal processing device according to claim 2, wherein

said display has a light source capable of lighting up in a plurality of styles.

4. An audio signal processing device according to claim 3, wherein said light source is a light emitting diode.
  5. An audio signal processing device according to claim 4, wherein lighting brightness of said light source is different for each of the 5 display styles.
  6. An audio signal processing device according to claim 5, wherein said display is made to present the value of the parameter set at the time of the loading at a lower brightness than the loaded value of the parameter.
- 10        7. An audio signal processing device according to claim 4, wherein lighting color of said light source is different for each of the display styles.
8. An audio signal processing device according to claim 2, wherein said display is a display for presenting continuous values.
- 15        9. An audio signal processing device according to claim 8, wherein said display is made to present an overlapped part and a different part between the value of the parameter set at the time of the loading and the loaded value of the parameter in different display styles.
10. An audio signal processing device according to claim 9, wherein 20        said display is made to present the overlapped part and the different part using a first display style and a second display style that is less conspicuous than the first display style.
11. An audio signal processing device according to claim 10, wherein 25        when the loaded value of the parameter is larger than the value of the parameter set at the time of the loading, said display is made to present the overlapped part in the second display style and the different part in the first display style.

12. An audio signal processing device according to claim 10, wherein when the loaded value of the parameter is smaller than the value of the parameter set at the time of the loading, said display is made to present the overlapped part in the first display style and the different part in the second display style.

5           13. An audio signal processing device according to claim 1, further comprising:

an instructor for providing an instruction not to reflect the value of the parameter loaded by said loader in the signal processing,

10           wherein when the instruction has been provided by said instructor at the time of the loading of the value of the parameter, the loaded value of the parameter is not reflected in the signal processing.

14. An audio signal processing device according to claim 2, further comprising:

15           an instructor for providing an instruction not to reflect the value of the parameter loaded by said loader in the signal processing,

              wherein when the instruction has been provided by said instructor at the time of the loading of the value of the parameter, the loaded value of the parameter is not reflected in the signal processing.

20           15. A computer program containing program instructions executable by a computer and causing said computer to execute:

              a process of processing audio signals and outputting the audio signals;  
              a process of setting values of parameters of the signal processing in accordance with operation of controls;

25           a process of making a display present a set value of the parameter;

              a process of storing a value of the parameter;

              a process of loading the value of the parameter stored in said storing;

a process of comparing, when loading the value of the parameter in said loading, a value of the parameter set at a time of the loading with the loaded value of the parameter; and

- 5 a process of making a display style on said display different in accordance with a comparison result on match/mismatch by said comparing.

16. A computer program containing program instructions executable by a computer and causing said computer to execute:

- a process of processing audio signals and outputting the audio signals;  
a process of setting values of parameters of the signal processing in  
10 accordance with operation of controls;

a process of making a display present a set value of the parameter;  
a process of storing a value of the parameter;  
a process of loading the value of the parameter stored in said storing;  
and

- 15 a process of making, when loading the value of the parameter in said loading, the display simultaneously present the loaded value of the parameter and a value of the parameter set at a time of the loading in different styles.